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SUBJECT: NATIONAL DEFENSE UNIVERSITY 1978 FIELD STUDIES
FOR THE NATIONAL WAR COLLEGE

1. AS YOU MAY RECALL, THE NATIONAL WAR COLLEGE WAS ABLE TO SEND TRAVELING GROUPS TO THE SOVIET UNION AND ROMANIA AS PART OF ITS 1977 FIELD STUDIES PROGRAM. IN 1978, THE NATIONAL WAR COLLEGE IS HOPEFUL OF REPEATING THESE VISITS AND TO ENLARGE ITS COVERAGE OF EASTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES BY VISITING ALSO POLAND, GDR AND HUNGARY. IN CONTRAST TO 1977, THE INDUSTRIAL COLLEGE OF THE ARMED FORCES (ICAF) WILL NOT BE TRAVELING IN LARGE GROUPS IN 1978.

2. TO ASSIST THE NATIONAL WAR COLLEGE IN PLANNING REASONABLE ITINERARIES FOR THIS TWO WEEK PERIOD, WE WOULD
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APPRECIATE YOUR JUDGEMENT ON WHETHER A VISIT BY A NATIONAL WAR COLLEGE GROUP DURING THE ESTABLISHED PERIOD WOULD BE USEFUL.

3. THE NATIONAL WAR COLLEGE IS IN ITS PRELIMINARY PLANNING STAGES AT THIS TIME. WE ARE EMPHASIZING, THEREFORE, THAT THIS SURVEY SHOULD NOT BE INTERPRETED AS A REQUEST TO CON-

TACT THE HOST COUNTRY. DEPENDING ON RESPONSES, AND FURTHER

FOLLOW-ON PLANNING IN WASHINGTON, TRAVEL PLANS WILL BE
DEVELOPED AND COORDINATED WITH THE APPROPRIATE MISSIONS
EARLY IN 1978. CHRISTOPHER

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